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For : TRANSDERMAL THERAPEUTIC SYSTEM  
WITH NICOTINE AND ADDITION OF  
MONOTERPENE KETONES

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Preliminary to examination, please amend the above-identified patent  
application as follows:

IN THE TITLE:

Please delete the title and replace it with the following:

--TRANSDERMAL THERAPEUTIC SYSTEM WITH NICOTINE AND  
ADDITION OF MONOTERPENE KETONES--

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